

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 5 public bills, H.R. 10, 5147–5150; were introduced. **Pages H7579–80**

Additional Cosponsors: **Page H7580**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows: H.R. 4077, to enhance criminal enforcement of the copyright laws, to educate the public about the application of copyright law to the Internet, amended (H. Rept. 108–700). **Page H7579**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Petri to act as Speaker Pro Tempore for today. **Page H7577**

Recess: The House recessed at 2:03 and reconvened at 4:30 p.m. **Page H7577**

Senate Message: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H7577.

Senate Referral: S. Con. Res. 119 was referred to the Committee on Energy & Commerce; and S. 2781 was referred to the Committee on International Relations. **Page H7577**

Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no votes or quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 4:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

IRAQ RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on Iraq Reconstruction Program. Testimony was heard from Richard L. Armitage, Deputy Secretary of State.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, P. D 860)

H.R. 361, to designate certain conduct by sports agents relating to the signing of contracts with student athletes as unfair and deceptive acts or practices to be regulated by the Federal Trade Commission. Signed on September 24, 2004. (Public Law 108–304).

H.R. 3908, to provide for the conveyance of the real property located at 1081 West Main Street in Ravenna, Ohio. Signed on September 24, 2004. (Public Law 108–305).

H.R. 5008, to provide an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act

and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 through September 30, 2004. Signed on September 24, 2004. (Public Law 108–306).

S. 1576, to revise the boundary of Harpers Ferry National Historical Park. Signed on September 24, 2004. (Public Law 108–307).

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of September 27 through October 2, 2004

Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, at 2 p.m., Senate will begin consideration of S. 2845, National Intelligence Reform Act.

During the balance of the week Senate will consider any other cleared legislative and executive business, including appropriation bills, when available.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: September 28, to hold hearings to examine policies to enforce the Bank Secrecy Act and to prevent money laundering in money services businesses and the gaming industry, 10 a.m., SD–538.

September 29, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine recommendations of the 9/11 Commission, focusing on efforts to identify and combat terrorist financing, 10 a.m., SD–538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: September 28, to hold hearings to examine media ownership issues, 9:30 a.m., SR–253.

September 28, Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space, to hold hearings to examine the effectiveness of media ratings systems, 2:30 p.m., SR–253.

September 29, Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space, to hold hearings to examine the controversy over embryonic stem cell research, 2 p.m., SR–253.

September 30, Subcommittee on Communications, to hold oversight hearings to examine the security of Internet Root Servers and the Domain Name System (DNS), 2:30 p.m., SR–253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: September 29, Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests, to hold hearings to examine S. 2410, to promote wildland firefighter safety, H.R. 1651, to provide for the exchange of land within the Sierra National Forest, California, S. 2378, to provide for the conveyance of certain public land in Clark County, Nevada, for use as a heliport, H.R. 2400, to amend the Organic Act of Guam for the purposes of clarifying the local judicial structure of Guam, H.R. 3874, to convey for public purposes certain Federal lands in Riverside County, California, that have been identified for disposal, H.R. 4170, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to recruit volunteers to assist with, or facilitate, the activities of various agencies and offices